13388. Adulteration of phosphated flour. U. S. v. 172 Bags * * * (F. D. C. No. 22841, Sample No. 41036-H.)

LIBEL FILED: April 14, 1947, Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 25, 1947, by the Acme Flour Mills Co., from Oklahoma City, Okla.

PRODUCT: 172 5-pound bags of phosphated flour at Stuttgart, Ark.

LABEL, IN PART: "The Magic Miller's Best 5 Lbs. Enriched Phosphated Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect parts; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: May 15, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13389. Adulteration of self-rising flour. U. S. v. 219 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25073. Sample No. 22107-K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 12, 1948, Northern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 14 and March 15, 1948, from Fort Worth, Tex.

PRODUCT: 219 25-pound bags of self-rising flour at Pensacola, Fla.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: September 4, 1948. The Peninsular-Lurton Co., Pensacola, Fla., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be denatured under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

13390. Adulteration of cake flour. U. S. v. 275 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25047. Sample No. 31363-K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 14, 1948, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 31, March 26, and April 27, 1948, from Twin Falls, Idaho.

PRODUCT: 275 100-pound bags of cake flour at Los Angeles, Calif., in possession of the Sunset Milling & Grain Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Rodent urine and rodent pellets were observed on the bags, and examination showed that the product contained rodent urine.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 29, 1948. The Sunset Milling and Grain Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for conversion into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

13391. Adulteration of buckwheat flour and self-rising buckwheat and wheat flour compound. U. S. v. 274 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 23960. Sample Nos. 24912–K, 24914–K.)

LIBEL FILED: December 5, 1947, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 13, 1947, by the Sarrington Milling Co., from Lake Delton, Wis.

PRODUCT: 274 5-pound bags of buckwheat flour and 123 bales, each containing 12 4-pound bags, of self-rising buckwheat and wheat flour compound at Freeport, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "K & S Pure Buckwheat Flour," or "K & S Self-Rising Buckwheat and Wheat Flour Compound."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of larvae, insect fragments, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.